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LETTER AND STATEMENT

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Sir:

A Notice of Missing Parts, asserting that there were certain deficiencies in Applicant's original submission of a Sequence Listing, was the subject of a response by Applicants mailed on October 25, 2001. After the period for response to the Notice of Missing Parts had expired, the Office mailed a Notice of Incomplete Reply indicating that the computer readable form was found to be damaged and/or unreadable and that the reply was missing a statement that the content of the Sequence Listing information is identical to the written Sequence Listing and includes no new matter. It is submitted

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that the initial response mailed on October 25, 2001 included the required statements. However, in view of the difficulty with the computer readable form, Applicants are hereby resubmitting the Sequence Listing in computer readable form and are making additional statements herein.

Copies of the Notice of Missing Parts and Notice of Incomplete Reply are enclosed.

Statements

The content of the sequence listing contained on the enclosed computer readable form is identical to the written sequence listing submitted herewith. It is requested that this written sequence be substituted for the originally filed sequence listing since the originally filed sequence listing was not completely in the proper form for U.S. filings. For instance, the original sequence provided the European filing number instead of the U.S. Serial No. and it named as Applicant, the assignee instead of the inventors. The enclosed sequence listing corrects these minor deficiencies and includes no new matter over the sequence originally filed with the application papers.

Please charge any required fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-1155. Triplicate copies of this letter are enclosed. If any extensions are required for this submission, it is requested that such be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

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